

The geography of energy transitions: a network approach for post-Fukushima Japan

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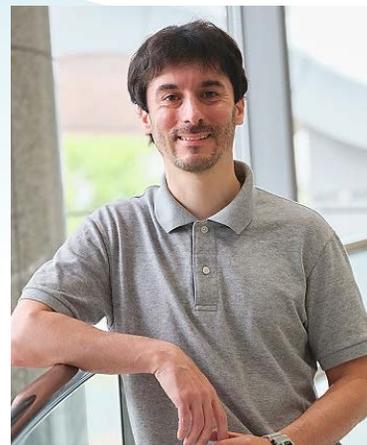
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講演概要

Given the increasing threat of climate change, energy transitions from fossil-based sources to greener and renewable ones has become a major need and goal worldwide. However, energy transitions are costly and usually slow. In this paper, we empirically study the adoption and spatial spread of energy transitions from nuclear to wind triggered by the Fukushima incident in Japan in 2011. We build a novel panel dataset for 1741 municipalities combining gridded data on night-time lights, population, vegetation, and pollution, matched with the location of nuclear plants and wind farms, from 2001 to 2020. Using panel-data econometric techniques, we explore the connection between the proximity to nuclear power plants and the adoption of Wind Energy Technology (WET). We then rely on a network diffusion model to analyze the direction, speed, and order in which municipalities adopted WET. Finally, we perform a counterfactual analysis by targeting key spreaders to alter the diffusion process, allowing us to propose policies to overcome "bottlenecks" in the network.



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